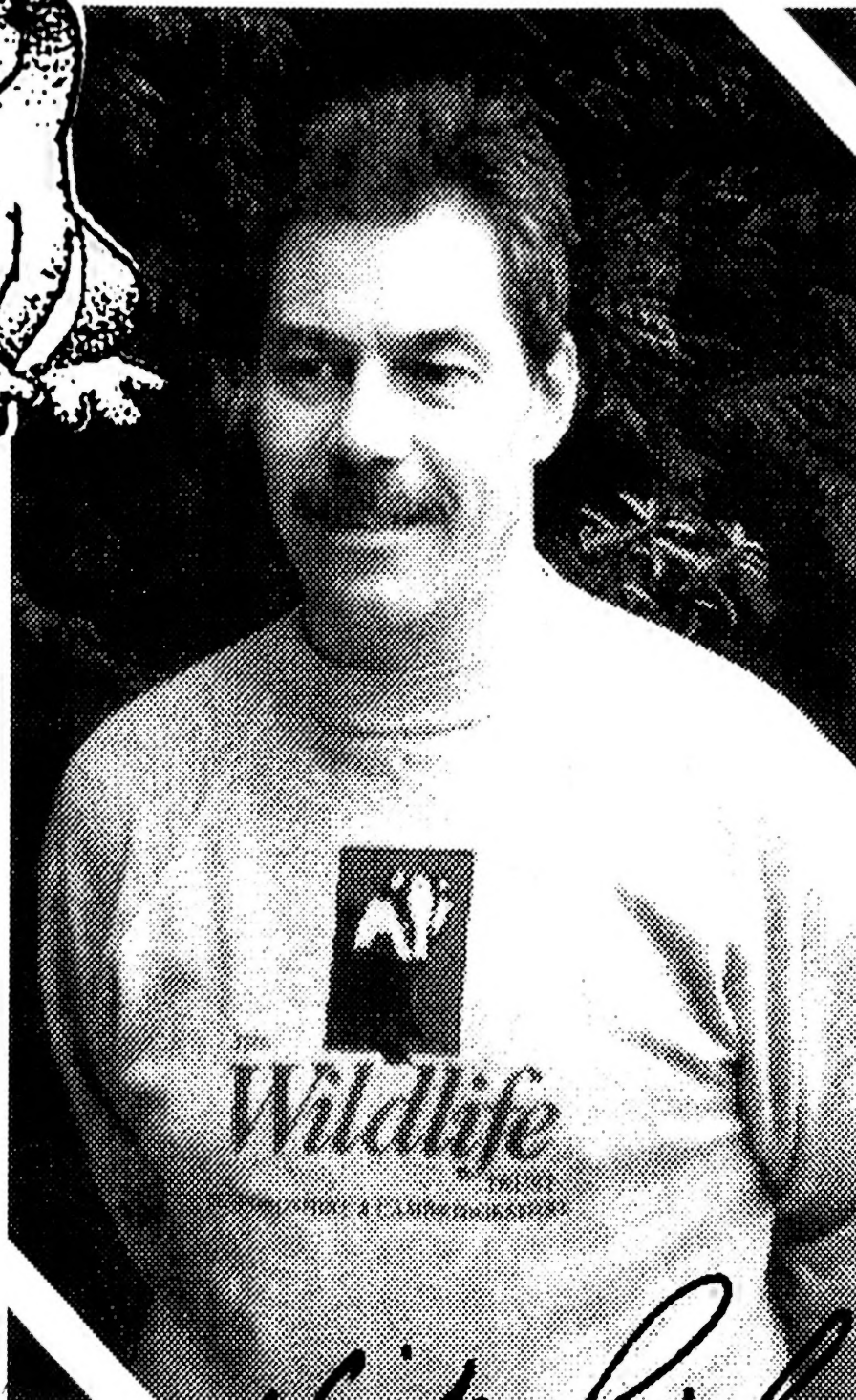


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The Nature Reserve Warden



Nick Richardson.



Health Centre



780442

Health Visitors - 781855

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Surgery Opening Hours	8.20 - 12.00 2.00 - 6.00	8.20 - 12.00 2.00 - 6.00	8.20 - 12.00 2.00 - 6.00	8.20 - 12.00 2.00 - 6.00	8.20 - 12.00 2.00 - 6.00	AM PM
Dr. R. Newsom	8.30 - 11.00 3.00 - 5.30		9.00 - 11.30 varies - 6.00	9.30 - 11.30 3.00 - 5.30	9.30 - 11.30 3.00 - 5.30	AM PM
Dr. J. Hassan	9.00 - 11.30 3.00 - 5.30	9.00 - 11.30 4.00 - 6.00		9.00 - 11.00 3.00 - 6.00	8.30 - 11.00 3.00 - 6.00	AM PM
Nurse	8.20 - 11.30 3.00 - 6.00		8.20 - 11.30 3.30 - 6.00	10.30 - 12.30 3.30 - 6.00	8.20 - 11.30 4.00 - 6.00	AM PM
Child Immunisation	3.00 - 4.30					PM
Child Health Clinic (GP)				3.00 - 4.00		PM
Child Health Clinic (Health Visitor)		10.15 - 11.45 (School Community Lounge)		2.00 - 4.00 (Health Centre)		AM PM

Saturday	Emergences Only - a combined practices surgery is held at:- 1, Huntingdon Road, Cambridge. 9.30 - 12.00 am. Tel: (9) 64127
Out of Hours	For URGENT medical attention Tel (9) 356201
Family Planning	During surgery hours
Ante-Natal Patients	Midwife - Wednesdays 2 - 3.30 pm Doctors - During surgery hours.
Health Services	Clinic open during surgery hours (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday) Smoking * Asthma * Hypertension * Weight control * Travel health Well person * Well women and menopause * Winter health for the elderly Diabetes * Pre-conceptual counselling (couples only)

* Experience of anxiety ?

* Dry mouth ?

* Dizzy ?

* Tense ?

* Band around the Head ?

* Panicky ?

* Pains in the Neck ?

Bar Hill Self-help Stress Group

Many of us suffer from the symptoms of stress and this can be frightening. You may be already getting some help from your local doctor, but it is always good to talk to others who are also experiencing the same problems. If you think it will help you to talk to fellow sufferers, then join us.

Give us a ring! **781005**

Residents Association Committee 1993-1994

Chairman	Martin Avery	34 Acorn Avenue	781233
Secretary	Jo Hall	11 Almond Grove	780304
Treasurer	Mike Webb	88 Field View	781015
Editor	Margaret Carpenter	48 Foxhollow	781192
Advertising	Bunty Waters	77 Foxhollow	781493
Distribution	Not Allocated		
	Jackie Jones	16 Acorn Avenue	781613
	Paul Chubbuck	11 Field View	781688

Copy Dates & Charges

What	Where			When	Cost
Articles & 'What's On'.	Mrs. M. Carpenter,	781192,	48 Foxhollow	15th of the Month	Free
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Local Enterprise/Small Ads.	Mrs. M. Carpenter,	781192,	48 Foxhollow	15th of the Month	£2.50
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(1/4 page Portrait = 87 * 128 mm & Landscape = 62 * 179 mm)

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or Doreen Patrick

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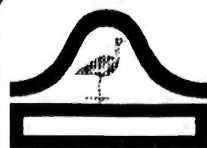
Swavesey Village College Summer Spectacular

Saturday July 2nd - 12.00 - 4.30 pm

We would like to invite all Village organisa-
tions to have a stall at the Summer Spectacular. It

will cost only £5 to rent
the space and you keep
the profits. Don't miss
this opportunity to boost
funds for your group.

Contact Glynis Fen-
wick on 230634 as soon
as possible to book your
space.



Bar Hill Residents Association

*Do you read your Bar Hill News?
Do you attend the Summer Fete?
Do you watch the Firework Display?*

All this could stop.....

If the Residents Association Committee
does not have sufficient members to operate.

We held our AGM in January and only 7
committee members were elected. Insufficient
members were able to attend the February
meeting, so that had to be cancelled. To oper-
ate effectively we need at least 2 (and up to 5)
additional committee members.

We desperately need someone to organize
the collation and delivery of the Bar Hill News.
This job involves a fair bit of lifting and carry-
ing in order to deliver bundles of magazines to
the many helpers around the village, so you
need to be moderately fit, and have the use of
a car. We also need people willing to help with
organizing the fete, which is planned to take
place on June 25th.

All committee members and helpers are
unpaid volunteers, but we reimburse petrol,
telephone and other expenses.

If you are willing and able to help the
Residents Association with either the Distri-
bution Organizer's job, or as a committee
member, please talk to me, or any committee
member, or come along to the next meeting at
8 pm in the Community Lounge at the school
on Monday 14th March.

Please help. We may not ask again.

Martin Avery 781233



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**Dates for the rest of this
term** are March 11th and
25th - our Easter Holiday
Special.

For more information
phone Janis 782336 or
Helen 781930.

Bar Hill PTA

Sat. 12th March

Auction of Promises

Thu. 17th March

Annual General Meeting

Further details from:

Margaret Carpenter 781192

Carol Lamont 781692

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Bar Hill Allotment Society

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like one please contact
the Treasurer, Jane Cul-
lum 780573. This is a
good time to start an al-
lotment, as the growing
season begins around
now. The rent is usually
£5 per plot per year, but
anyone prepared to take
on an overgrown plot
and clear it can have it
free until October. Can
you afford to miss out on
this special offer?

Janet Morris 782441



Quiz Night

Friday 18th March

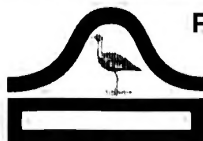
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782978 for further details.
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Parish Council Notes

The monthly meeting of the Parish Council was held on Thursday 17th February at 7.30 pm in The Old Farmhouse.

Youth Facilities - A programme of various activities was being organised at different venues within the Village in conjunction with Community Education Co-ordinator at Swavesey VC. Representatives of the Parish Council had met with Governor representatives from Bar Hill School to obtain permission to use the Community Lounge for young people to meet on an 'unstructured' basis with supervision. Governors would give permission for structured activities only, such as Duke of Edinburgh Award scheme. The Parish Council also arranged to meet with a group of young people who had approached them via a video with a request for another facility involving the previously suggested site of the Parish Council workshop.

Play Area - The supplier for a suitable material for surfacing the entrances to the play area was being pursued. The general maintenance of the area is in hand.

Outbuilding Rear of Farmhouse - The Education Property Department had asked whether the Parish Council would want their workshop demolished when the School's storage shed was removed. It was decided to leave the PC building as its future use, for the time being, was uncertain.

Precept - The Precept figure for the year 94/95 was set at £43615, this being the same as the previous year.

'National Spring Clean Week' - This will be 15th - 23rd April. There will be the usual annual Village 'Clean Up' Day during this week.

Dog Fouling - Extreme concern was expressed by the Councillors at the increase in the amount of fouling on footpaths and grassed areas inside the Village. There appears to be a problem of identifying the culprits' owners - if anyone has any information on this, the Clerk would be grateful to hear from them.

Mrs. C. McDermott,
Clerk to the Parish Council,

The Old Farmhouse, Bar Hill CB3 8DY,
780456 (Clerk available weekday mornings)



Letters to the Editor

(Opinions expressed in this publication are not necessarily those of the BHRA. Alternative view points are always welcome.)

Dear Editor

When are people going to stop their dogs from fouling our village? Walking to school in the mornings, I'm constantly having to say to the children "Mind where you walk!" It's on the paths, on the grass and almost anywhere you look. Only the other day I had to clear a big pile from my front garden.

Come on dog owners, think of other villagers, especially the children, who should be able to run around safely and without fear of treading in dogs' muck. A shovel and plastic bag are all you need to clear up after your dog.

With the summer coming up, let's have a nice clean village.

Kathy Panter

Free advice for your Village

Cambridgeshire Rural Action offer free Saturday workshops around Cambridgeshire during this Winter and Spring. All are welcome to come along to find out how you can use your time and energy to improve your environment.

What is green, eats veg. and garden waste, and gets surprisingly hot in the middle? Compost! **Community Composting** is being discussed on Saturday 16 April in Buckden. Discover the mysteries of compost and the wonders of wormeries. From back garden to advanced community composting, find out what you can do in your own patch to save waste and help the earth.

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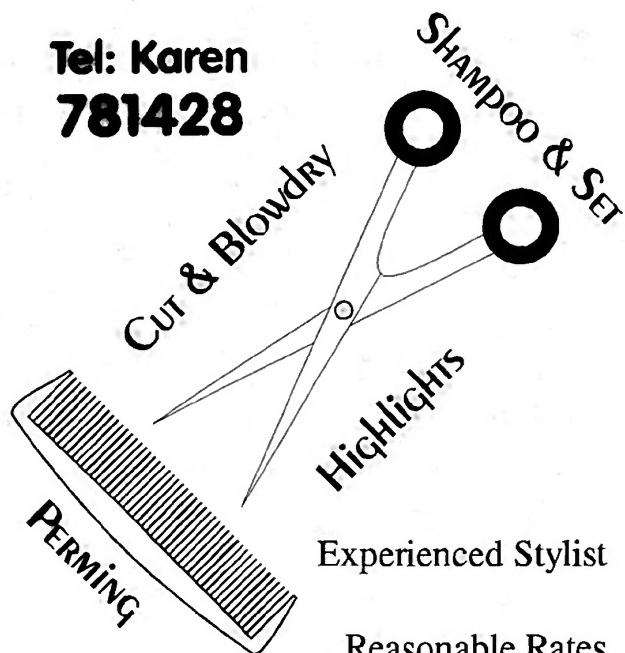
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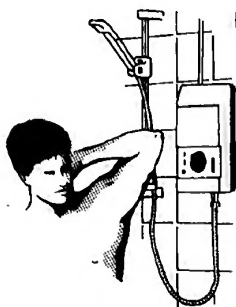
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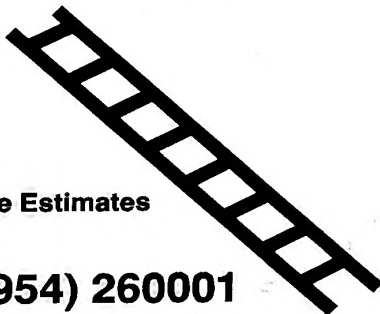
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BAR HILL SCOUT GROUP 100 CLUB

The Bar Hill Scout Group 100 Club provides members with a chance to win £50 each month and £100 at Christmas. More importantly it generates funds for the purchase of equipment to support Beaver, Cub and Scout groups in the village. The income from subscriptions also helps towards the annual maintenance of the Scout Hut

New members are needed for 1994/95 to replace those relinquishing current membership. Brief details are shown below; a copy of the Constitution, Rules & Organisation can be obtained from the group secretary.

- a) The club consists of a minimum of 100 members, each of whom is allocated a number.
- b) Each member pays an annual subscription of £12.
- c) Membership runs from March to February inclusive.
- c) Providing membership does not fall below 100 there will be 11 £50 monthly prizes and one £100.
- d) The winning number will normally be drawn at the monthly Scout Group Committee meeting. The winner's cheque will be delivered by a Committee member.

To support this worthwhile cause and maybe win, please complete the application form below. Applications by no later than 6th please.

Application to join Bar Hill Scout Group 100 Club - 1994/95

I enclose my annual subscription of £12 and completed application form.

Name _____

(Block capitals please)

Address and telephone number _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Return to Organiser - Graham Haylock, 52 Oat lands Avenue, Bar Hill, Cambridge

780965



Beds. and Cambs. Wildlife Trust

Mon. 14th March Amphibians at Madingley, 6.30 pm Madingley Hall £1.50/50p

Mon. 21st March "The Management of Breckland" - Swavesey VC. 7.30 pm

Rural Action for the environment

If you have any ideas for projects to enhance or protect the environment of the parish, Rural Action for Cambridgeshire might be able to help you.

Rural Action is a partnership of county environmental organizations which is working together to bring support in the form of advice and new funding to rural projects. Any local community group, from a mothers and toddlers group to a history group or WI. may apply, and projects can range from a photographic study or village history to a wildlife survey, a full parish plan or energy saving study.

Project grants of up to £2,000 are available to fund up to 50% of any one stage of a project which may include specialised advice, technical assistance, training and materials for community projects. The other 50% must come from the community group, but this can include grants from other sources, donations in kind and **costed volunteer time** (voluntary input to a project is costed at £7.40 an hour and this can include time spent in planning and carrying out the project). Parish councils and local groups, whether newly formed or long established, can get this support. Project grants are administered in each county by Rural Community Councils.

The Countryside Commission, English Nature and the Rural Development Commission, with 5 partner national voluntary organizations set up Rural Action in 1992 as a scheme to support local community environmental action in England's villages, small country towns (pop. Under 10,000) and countryside. The national partners are ACRE (Action for Communities in Rural England), BTCV, NCVO, Environment Support Team, RSNC Wildlife Trusts Partnership and the Shell Better Britain Campaign.

Information may be obtained from Anne Laing, Cambridgeshire Community Council 0954 250144

Bar Hill Nature Reserve

Dear friends,

firstly I would like to thank the Residents' Association for their kind contribution towards the notice board, which is now in place at the reserve.

Mr. Hammond, kindly made four blue tit nest-boxes for me, three of which are destined for the reserve; the fourth is already in place on the tree in front of the Fire Station in Cambridge, thanks. Colin Diver has kindly supplied me with plywood for nest boxes and Pat Parks had some fence posts she didn't want anymore - they're now mine!

Just recently, I've been helping the Beds and Cambs. wildlife Trust to carry out a dormouse survey in a couple of woods in Cambridgeshire. There are reckoned to be no Dormice in Cambridgeshire at all, so let's hope this survey proves positive - I'll keep you informed.

On a sadder note, Pete Mann phoned me to say he had found a dead badger on his daily walk. I went and collected it and found it was a dead boar (male) of a quite hefty size and weight. It had probably been hit by a car during the hours of darkness. I felt sad enough to put pen to paper...

*"A badger is on the road," the phone voice said
"He's not moving much.....he looks quite dead"
"I'll collect it now, the address please"
"It's near the bridge at Appletrees".*

*Through the countryside in darkness it would roam
Knowing the way back to its home,
Eating berries, roots and the odd worm
Things that grow and things that squirm.*

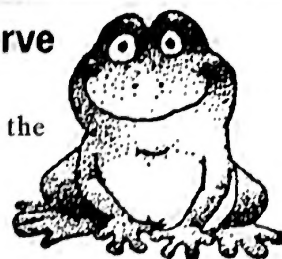
*Sadly, Mrs. Badger waits in vain
Thinking 'Ol Brock' is late again
But tonight a car took his life
On his way back to his wife.*

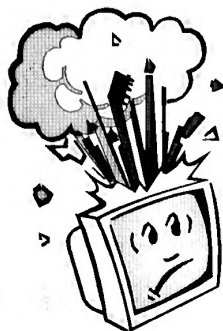


*So, drivers, proceed slowly and with care
You're no match for plain bone and hair,
Now poor 'Ol Brock' won't see his wife
Or come to that, the rest of his life.*

On a brighter note, the nights are getting lighter, the birds are singing and the buds and flowers are starting to burst out for the new spring. If anybody sees anything interesting, please let me know!

Nick Richardson, Warden 781383





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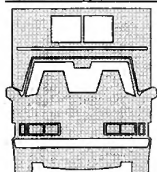
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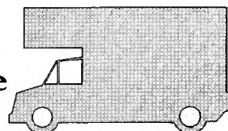
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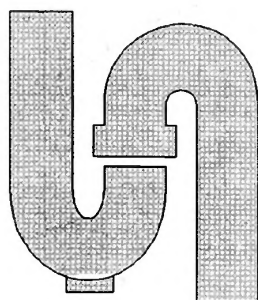
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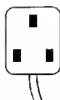
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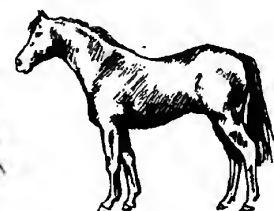
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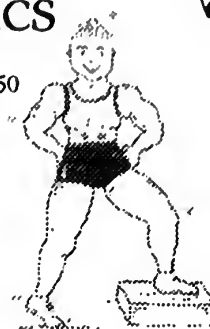
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Session times :

Monday to Friday 9.15 - 11.45 am,

Monday to Thursday 12.45 - 3.15 pm.

If you are interested in a place for your child, please feel free to visit the playgroup at any session. Application forms are available from the playgroup, Health Centre, Library and from Lesley Kelly 782211.

The playgroup building can be hired for parties, events, meetings etc. Rates for hire are £2.50 per hour for block bookings, £8.00 for a party booking. It will be £10 from 1st April, with an additional charge of £2 if the garden is used for a Bouncy castle etc. Early booking is advisable. Phone Helen Gordon on 781930 for further details.

Book Corner

The alterations to the book corner and collection of new books have started. We would like to say a big thank you to the Bar Hill Dental Surgery and Health Centre for their donation for books on visiting the Dentist and Doctor.

Diary Dates

Tues. 26th April 8 pm, Playgroup Building. Please come along and join us at our AGM. The Reception teachers will be there to give a talk. Everyone welcome, especially prospective parents.

Julia Dyer (Chairwoman) 782150

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To register your child contact Christine Welburn 782978. For further information and to arrange a visit contact Heather Sales 780859. Other leaders are Jo Griffiths and Heather Sinclair.



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Bar Hill Pre-School Playgroup

The Pre-School Playgroup is held in the Village Hall and is open to children from three years to school age. Facilities include:

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The play room

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The Playgroup sessions are run by our senior Playleader Brenda, Playleader Heather and our two assistants Jan and Karen.

If any parents have problems or queries concerning playgroup, please feel free to ask any of the staff or to telephone our chairperson Tina Binks on 781579.

If you would like to have a look around or register your child, please feel free to pop in at any time, or contact our administrator, Jenny Dedman on 782037 before 7.00 pm.

Thanks to all those who gave their jumble and time to our jumble sale last month. All help was greatly appreciated.

Kirsten Goodfield 780250

SPINETTES

Our Troupe leader, Sylvia Boydell, took our girls to tournaments in St. Ives. They were in great style in their new track-suits, sponsored by John Meads, Managing Director of Hammond and Meads, based at Stukeley industrial estate, Huntingdon.

This was the first tournament for our girls, and they did very well. We won 6 Troupe trophies, and the girls won 5 trophies:

Gemma Haslop - Majorette march 3rd,

Stacey Hopkins - Majorette march 2nd,

Jennifer Foster - Majorette march 1st,

Nicola Lister - Majorette march 3rd,

Hannah Webb - Majorette march 2nd.

Well done girls, a very good start!

The groups go through to UKFM selection in April.

Chairman, G. S. Dixon.

Lone Parent Support Group

We are a group of lone parents who meet up for a drink (coffee/tea that is!) and a chat, now and again, usually on a Sunday afternoon. It can get hectic with the children playing, but we have a good time and learn from each other. If you are a lone parent and would like to join us please ring me on 780593.

Thanks, Pauline Dempsey

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If you would like to know more about joining a circle, please contact either Chris McDermott 782401 or Jacky Amey 780249.

Elsworth Playgroup

Meets Tuesdays and Fridays, from 9 - 11.45 am
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Contact Kate Clarke - Elsworth 7 - 612

Under Ones

All babies under one and their mums/dads are welcome at 'Under Ones' which meets every Wednesday morning. The Church Centre is open from 10 - 12 noon for refreshments and a chance to meet other people with young babies. Expectant mums are also very welcome. We offer changing facilities, a good selection of toys and a well stocked library on all aspects of pregnancy and baby care.

If you would like any further information or if you would like contact with someone before coming along on a Wednesday morning please get in touch with me at 22 Stonefield.

Jacky Bowers 781977



Parent & Toddler group

Bar Hill Parent and Toddler group is run for the benefit of children aged 12 months to 3 years, in conjunction with their parent, minder, or grandparent, etc. in Bar Hill or surrounding areas.

The sessions are as follows:

Day Time Supervisor

Mon. 10.00 - 11.30 am Jo Hall

1.30 - 3.00 pm Jo Hall

Tue. 10.00 - 11.30 am Mary Wilby

1.30 - 3.00 pm Pat Collinson

Wed. 10.00 - 11.30 am Pat Collinson
(12 - 18 month Toddlers only)

Thu. 10.00 - 11.30 am Mary Wilby

Fri. 10.00 - 11.30 am Jo Hall

Toddler Group's activities range from messy play, painting, singing, and sand to large activity toys, and much more. Apart from giving you and your child the chance to take part in these activities, it allows you to meet other children of a similar age, and their parents. If you wish to attend any of the above sessions, please contact Cathy Free 782405. Fees are payable termly and there are concessionary fees for single parents or those with special circumstances. (Please note, however, due to a tight budget, we are unable to give refunds for sessions missed due to illness, holidays, etc.). Please feel free to call in on any session before your child joins. The supervisor would be pleased to meet you.

Due to a clash of dates, **Toddlers' AGM will now be on March 10th.** Our AGM will be held in the Church Meetings Room at 8.00 pm. There will be a progress report on all last year's activities. There will then be a short talk by Brenda Francis - Senior Playleader from the Village Hall Playgroup. A new committee will be elected on the evening. There are still some vacancies for anyone wishing to join the committee - all the vacancies must be filled as Toddlers is unable to run without a full committee. The evening will finish with cheese and wine and time to chat.

The Committee

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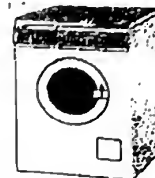
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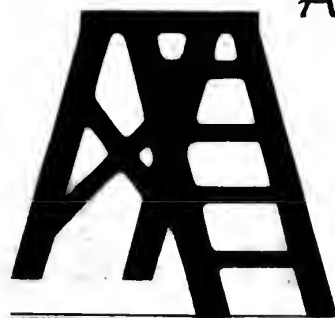
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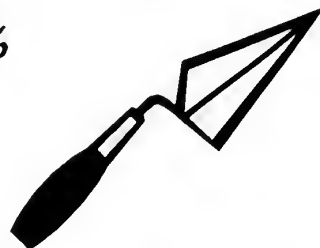
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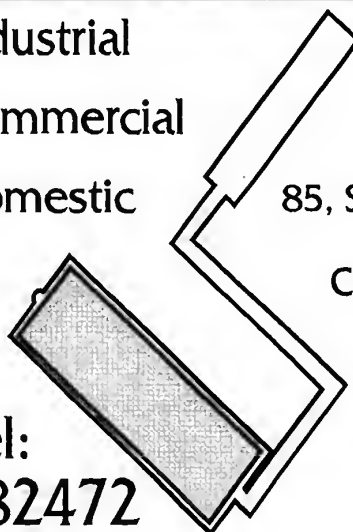
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Colts Football

Another month of the season has passed with few games being played due to water-logged pitches, but I do have some good news to report.



Our U14 team has progressed one step further in the East Anglian Cup, with a 5 - 0 quarter-final win over a team from Southend. They now await details of their next opponents and venue. All in the "Colts" look forward to their progress to the final, which would be a first for any of our teams.

The U11's continue their excellent run, although they have suffered one setback in the East Anglian Cup, losing to Deeping Rangers. They are well positioned for local League and League cup success, so we wish them well.

What a difference a year makes! Our U13's (last year's u12's) have recorded a unique double. Suffering all of last season, their first in League competition, they are holding a mid-table position in this second year, and on 13th February recorded their first ever away win, and kept their first ever clean sheet. Rumour has it that manager Chris Graham was last seen cartwheeling towards the Social Club.

Off the field, fund-raising continues with renewed vigour following the new year hangovers, which have just about subsided.

Diary Dates

30th April - Spring Disco, with Fish and chip supper at the school. Licensed bar.
Tickets £5, on sale soon.

21st May- Presentation evening.

9th July- Time to get the boots out dads! - yes, the annual dads' 5-a-side.

16th July - summer barbecue and disco.

More news next month.

Neville Watson



Swavesey Fencing Club

Swavesey Fencing Club is looking for new members. Whether you are an experienced fencer, or a complete beginner, please come along and meet us. We meet in the gym at Swavesey Village College 7.30 pm every Monday of the school term. We will provide equipment and tuition.

If you would like to know more, please contact Bob Powell, 2 Oatlands Avenue 780208.

Bar Hill Football Club

Once again, atrocious weather conditions have meant that the Bar Hill pitch has been water-logged, preventing home games from taking place. Unfortunately, this situation has had an effect on the First Team, who have now played only two games in nine weeks. They have been able, however, to continue their progress into the last eight of the cup by beating Haddenham Rovers 2 - 0. They now play Over Popular Farm at home for a place in the semi-finals. The one league game they have been able to play was against last year's champions and current league leaders, Queen's Arms, who they beat convincingly 4 - 0 to close the gap on the teams at the top.

The reserves have been able to play most of their games, but unfortunately have now lost their unbeaten run of 14 games by losing to their closest rivals Schering Rovers 3 - 0.

The last part of the season is now upon us and is very important to both teams and the club as a whole and your support is required over the forthcoming weeks to cheer them on to success.

Results

	First Team	Second team
Jan 2nd	-	Eversden Res (H) 3 - 0
Jan 23rd	Haddenham Rovers (A) 0 - 2	Abbot Athletico (H) 0-0
Jan 30th	-	Barnwell (A) 0 - 4
Feb. 6th	-	Littlington Ath. (H) 2 - 1
Feb. 13th	Queen's Arms (H) 4 - 0	Schering Rovers (A) 3 - 0

Fixtures

Feb. 20th	Over Popular Farm Cup (A)	Netherhall (H)
Feb. 27th	Fulbourn Athletic (A)	-
Mar 6th	Fordham Crown Rangers (H)	Abbot Athletico (A)
Mar 13th	Fulbourn Athletic (A)	Cambridge Police (H)
Mar 20th	Porter Dawson Cup semi-final	
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Bar Hill Third Team

We are proud to announce the start of a Third Team. Although at the present time they are only playing friendlies, we hope to start next season affiliated to the league. If you are interested in playing or know of someone that wants to play, please contact Mark Levitt 781681 or come training on Wednesday nights at the school, 7 - 8 pm.

Steve Panter 781457

Bar Hill Litter Busters Day

23rd April

The time of year for the Bar Hill annual spring clean is just around the corner. This year our litter bust will be on Saturday 23rd April, and I am hoping that there will be plenty of willing helpers. Each year we have fewer residents turn out, so I shall be pleased to see any new faces. For those of you new to our village, we have had a litter bust day for the past eight years and have had the support of the local children and many residents. If you can spare an hour or so of your time on this Saturday you will be more than welcome.

The village is looking rather untidy at the present, especially around the perimeter road. I myself recently picked up a dustbin bag of rubbish from around this area, most of which I am sure was thrown out of car windows - e.g. lager cans, sandwich boxes and the ubiquitous take-away cartons. I am afraid we have some very untidy and thoughtless people in our village. Also adding to the general untidiness is the amount of cars parking on the grass verges. With these areas being so wet at the moment due to the weather, it is causing the vehicles to leave ruts. This may not seem a problem, but the grass cutter cannot use his machines on these areas because of the likely damage to the equipment. There is also a lot of broken glass around, especially near the church and the playground. Children and animals are at great risk from this glass. There are bins in these areas, so why are they not being used? Owners letting their dogs foul the footpaths are on the increase again; most owners are responsible, but we all have to suffer because of a few.

I realise that the majority of people reading this will not be the cause of the problems, but as a concerned resident please look out for any offenders as there are bye-laws which can be used to prosecute them. The Parish Council or the police will be pleased to hear from anyone who has information concerning any of the above offences

We could have a village to be proud of but for these thoughtless people.
Veronica Webb

Youth Provision in the Village

As one of our responsibilities within the church here in the village, we get involved in a fair amount of youthwork. We've recently been working on a project with the youngsters which has attempted to allow them to communicate an idea they have.

This has involved making a video which is 8 minutes long, containing a number of interviews, some music and shots of the young people in action. It has been a very positive effort from the teenagers, who are keen for people to see them not as a gang of yobs, but intelligent, articulate individuals.

The main purpose of the video is to put forward a suggestion to the Parish Council to develop the piece of land behind the Farmhouse, to make a football/basketball court and shelter so that they don't have to hang around the shopping mall all the time. The Council has been looking into the various options available in terms of providing more facilities for the young people and now they have received copies of the video which will enable them to take the views expressed into account when choosing a course of action.

This whole project has created a great deal of excitement amongst the young people and they are keen that as many people as possible see their efforts. If you would like to see the video or discuss any of the issues relating to young people in the village today, then please feel free to get in touch on the number below.

We look forward to hearing from you soon!

Michelle and Richard Cross 789062



South East Cambridgeshire Conservative Association

(Bar Hill Branch)

A team of four from Bar Hill competed in the constituency Wine & Wisdom Quiz at Fulbourn Community Centre on Sat. 12th. Feb. and surprised themselves by coming a close second out of the nine teams present. We hope to do better next time!

Dates for your Diary

Wed. March 2nd - Women's Committee Coffee Morning, 2, The Fairway, Raffle and Bring & Buy Sale. 10.30 am - 12 noon.

Saturday March 12th - Talk by Jill Simpson, MBE on the European Parliament followed by a Shepherd's Pie Supper at 3, The Fairway. 7.30 pm. Tickets £5.00.

Friday April 15th - AGM. 7.30 pm Village Hall.

Saturday April 23rd - Political Lunch attended by Jim Paice, MP., Sir Anthony Grant, MP. and Robert Sturdy, prospective MEP. At the Octagon 12.30 for 1.00 pm. Tickets £7.50

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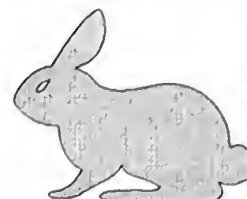
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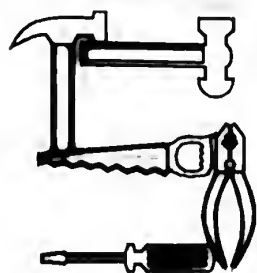
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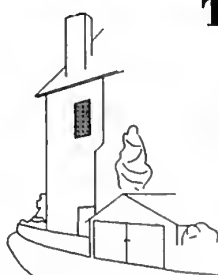
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Women's Institute

Our next meeting will be the AGM on March 8th.

The competition will be a decorative plate and the sales table toilettries. Would each member please bring a wine glass as there will be wine.

It's the beginning of a new year for us. We have good speakers, outings, and a lot of laughs. Why not come and join us? Anyone interested can ring either Margaret Clark 780612 or Irene Smith 780536. We will be happy to help you.

Joyce Smith 781782

Eight O'Clock club

The 8 O'clock club meets on the 1st Thursday of each month at the school.



Mar. 3rd - Talk & film show on the work of the Cambridge Folk Museum.

Barbara Page 780933

National Women's Register

Meetings start at 8.00 pm and are open to women of any age or status; working, housewives, retired or whatever. There is a charge of 40p per meeting to cover expenses. New members are always welcome. If you would like to know more, arrange a lift or have someone accompany you to your first meeting, please contact

Pat Smith 781505



International Women's Group

It is a great chance to meet new people, get some information about the village and surrounding area, learn about other cultures as well as having coffee/tea and biscuits.

If you would like to know more about the group or would like to come for the first time, phone Anne Tanner 780830, Katie Sheldrick 789088 or Julie Zuiderwijk 781934.

Health Visitors' News

Dear Parents,

Our new post-natal group is now up and running. It's a friendly and informal group where you can meet new friends and gain confidence in parenting. We will be discussing various topics related to your child's health, such as crying and sleeping, minor ailments and how to cope, normal development, play and stimulation and many more. Tea and coffee available.

This group of classes will run for 6 weeks. 1st session Fri. 4th March 1 - 2 pm at the Health Centre.

For more information contact Geraldine or Ruth (Health Visitors) 781855

If anyone has any unwanted but not out of date books on childcare or parenting we would be very pleased to have them.

Please help - we still have 4 copies of "Toddler Taming" missing. They can be left anonymously at the Reception desk at the Health Centre.

Are you expecting a baby and living in Bar Hill?

Please come to an informal "Meet the Health Visitor" session at the Health Centre on Tuesday 22nd March, 1 - 2 pm.

Bar Hill District Labour Party:

We have now a new branch to reflect the Cambridgeshire Constituency boundary changes.

Forthcoming social events include:

'Farewell to the old Branch' - **Sat 19th March**

South African Election event - **Thus 28th April**

For further details of events/meetings please contact:

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Thurs. 10th March	The Cambridge Centre 23 St. Andrews St. Cambridge
Tues. 22nd March	Central Library Lion Yard, Cambridge

Happy Hours - Bar Hill Senior Citizens club

(The recycled Youth club)



Having got over the major part of February (which I consider the worst month of the year as far as weather is concerned) we can now look forward to SPRING with a twinkle in our eyes and a smile. Ah, what could'n't we all do with a smile to perk us up. In case you have forgotten:

*A smile is a curve which straightens out many things
It enriches those who receive it without impoverishing those who give*

*It is daylight to the discouraged, sunshine to the sad
and nature's best antidote in times of trouble
Yet it cannot be bought, borrowed or stolen and it is
no earthly use unless it is given away
So if anyone here is without a smile, may I ask you
to give one of yours*

*As there are none as in need of a smile as those who
have none left to give.*

Holiday

Isle of Wight Tours have confirmed the receipt of our deposit, so now you can plan ahead. Remember the dates - 14 -21 May 1994, the "Pinehurst" Hotel, Bournemouth. Much nearer the date we shall be wishing to know whether some of you need assistance to get your cases to the "Fox" Public House. The only thing I shall need in the next few weeks will be the £149 balance. Insurance is available at £6, and in view of a few people's problems last year, I would certainly advocate taking it out.

Tournaments

The annual darts, cribbage, table tennis, scrabble and dominoes matches are now under way.

Sickness

Hilda Collet is now out of hospital and is spending a short period in convalescence. Please get well Hilda.

Jimmy James, Secretary, 781124

BAR HILL SCOUT GROUP

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month	winner	month	winner
June	63	October	85
July	100	November	14
August	5	December	69
September	82	January	10

Bar Hill Tennis Club



Bar Hill School
Cambridge

Annual General Meeting

11 March 1994 8.00 pm

Bar Hill School

The Committee invites all members and anyone interested in playing tennis to join us at this meeting. Please submit any relevant matters to be included in the agenda by 1st March to Mrs. S. Hewings 782497.

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Royal British Legion

At our February monthly meeting several dates were announced for forthcoming events, and these are listed below.

5th March . Branch Dance in Bar Hill School. If you have not already reserved your tickets please do not delay in contacting Ann Duce or Doreen Patrick.

10th March - The monthly meeting in the Farmhouse at 7.30 pm.

16th March - Sausage and Mash supper at the RBL Cottenham, with Bingo and raffle, all in aid of group funds. All tickets for this event have been sold.

26th March - The Social this month has a special significance, as it marks our 10th anniversary of re-forming the Branch in the Village. Invitations to join us for the evening have been sent to County Officers who gave us their help and support in the early stages, and we would be pleased to see members who are not usually able to join us. The venue as always is the Farmhouse at 7.30 pm.

14th April - Mr. Ian Cannell, The Royal British Legion National Appeals Chairman, has promised to visit us and we look forward to a very pleasant evening. More details in next month's notes.

E. A. Patrick 782136

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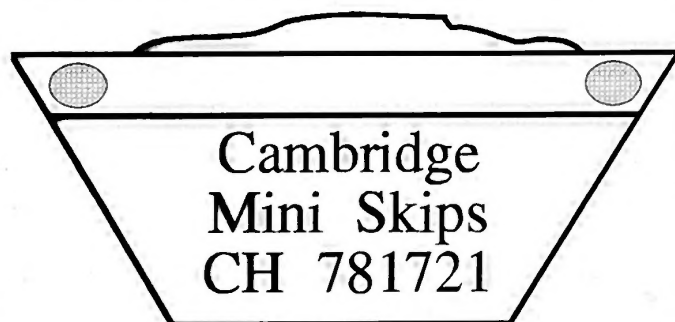


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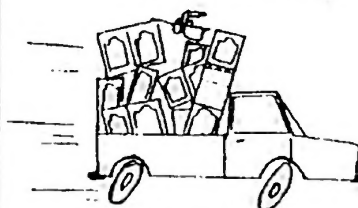
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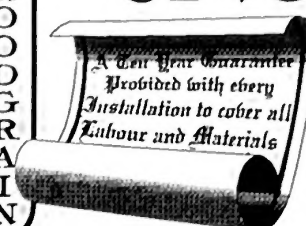
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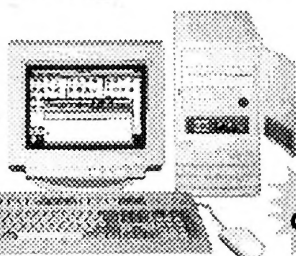
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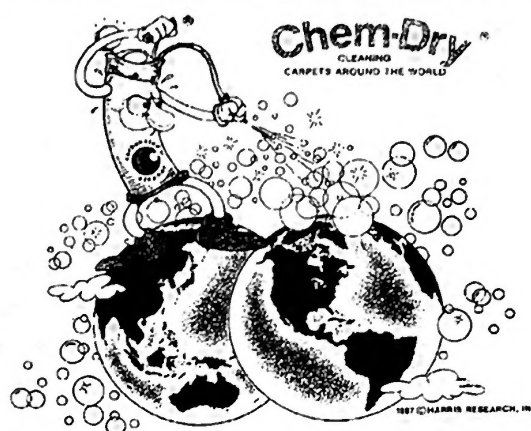
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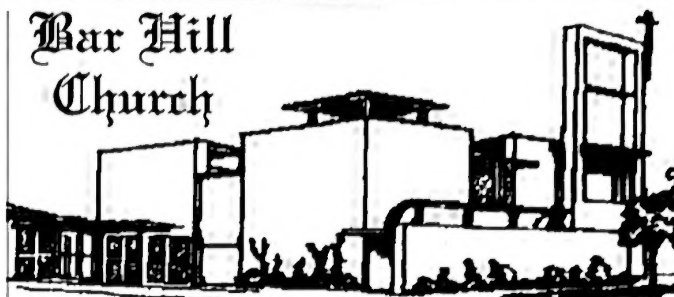
Sun 6th	10.00 am	Family Communion
		Preacher:
		Rev. James Newcome
	7.00 pm	Open to God
Sun 13th	8.00 am	Holy Communion
	10.00 am	Morning Worship
		Preacher:
		Mr. Rupert Standing
	8.00pm	An evening with Frank Topping at the Leys School
Sun 20th	10.00 am	Holy Communion
		Preacher:
		Mr. Mick Percival
	7.00pm	Evening Worship
Sun 27th	10.00 am	Televised Service
	to 12 noon	Palm Sunday
	7.00 pm	Holy Communion
Thus 31st	7.30 pm	Passover Meal and
Maundy Thursday		Celebration of Last Supper
	9.00 pm - Midnight	Prayer Vigil

April

Fri. 1st	10.00 am	An hour before the Cross
Good Friday		
Sun 3rd	6.30 am	Dawn Service and renewal of
Easter Day		Baptismal Vows
	10.00 am	Family Service
		with Communion
	7.00 pm	Open to God

Please note: there will be no evening service in Bar Hill on 13th March. Instead we are invited to an

Bar Hill Church



evening with the well-known author and broadcaster Frank Topping at the Leys School. Transport will be available; for further details please consult the church's weekly notice-sheet.

On Palm Sunday the morning service will be televised. Due to limitations of space, admission to the new church building will have to be by ticket, but we hope to arrange an overflow in the Octagon, with live television coverage of the whole 2 hour programme, including the service. So, as always, everyone will be most welcome.

In Holy Week, the Maundy Thursday Communion will begin at 7.30 pm and include a Passover meal. It will be followed by a vigil of prayer from 9 pm until midnight. On Good Friday there is an Hour before the Cross at 10 am, and Easter Day begins with a Dawn Service at 6.30 am which will include an opportunity to renew Baptismal Vows. There will also be a Family Service at 10 am (with Communion) and special celebratory 'Open to God' service at 7 pm.

If you would like to know more about Bar Hill Church and its many activities, or if you wish to contact a Minister for any reason, James Newcome 781629 will be glad to hear from you.

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Masses in the Parish Church in Cambridge

Weekdays	Sunday
Mon. 8 am & 12.15 pm	8.00 & 9.30 am
Tues. 7.30 pm	10.45 am Sung English
Wed. 8 am. & 12.15 pm	12.00 am Polish
Thu.. 8 am & 12.15 pm	3.45 pm Italian
Fri. 12.15 pm	5.00 pm
	6.15 pm Sung Latin
Saturday	
6.00 pm	First Mass of Sundays
also	
6.00 pm	at Bar Hill Church Centre

Holydays of Obligation: 8.00 am,
10.00 am, 7.30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation :

Tuesday 7.15-7.30 pm,
Saturday 10.30-11.15 am,
4.30-5.15 pm, 7.00-7.45 pm

(Details of other services are published in the weekly news letter which is available at the 6.00 pm Mass each Saturday - copies are available in the Church Centre.)

Diary for March 1994

Tue. 1st	8.00 pm	Table Tennis	School
Wed. 2nd	10.30 - 12.00 am	Coffee morning - Conservatives	2 The Fairway
Thu. 3rd	7.30 pm	Badminton	School
	8.00 pm	8 O'Clock Club - Camb. Folk Museum	School
Sat. 5th	8.00 - 12.00 pm	Royal British Legion Dance	School
Mon. 7th	9.15 - 10.30 am	Yoga	School
Tue. 8th	7.30 pm	WI - Annual General Meeting	School
	8.00 pm	Table Tennis	School
	8.00 pm	PTA Committee meeting	School
Thu. 10th	7.30 pm	Royal British Legion	Farmhouse
	7.30 pm	Badminton	School
	8.00 pm	Parents and Toddlers AGM	Church centre
Fri. 11th	2.30 - 3.30 pm	Toy Library	School
	8.00 pm	Tennis Club AGM	School
Sat. 12th	2.00 pm	Scouts Jumble Sale	Scout Hut
	7.30 pm	Talk, cheese and wine - Conservatives	3 The Fairway
	8.00 pm	Auction of Promises	School
Mon. 14th	9.15 - 10.30 am	Yoga	School
	8.00 pm	Residents Association Committee	School
Tue. 15th	8.00 pm	Table Tennis	School
Wed. 16th	7.30 pm	'Sausage & Mash' - Royal British Legion	Cottenham
Thu. 17th	7.30 pm	Badminton	School
	8.00 pm	AGM - PTA	School
Fri. 18th	2.30 - 3.30 pm	Toy Library	School
Sat 19th		Social - Labour Party	
Mon. 21st	9.15 - 10.30 am	Yoga	School
	8.00 pm	NWR What makes you mad ?	5, Field View
Tue. 22nd	8.00 pm	Table Tennis	School
Thu. 24th	7.30 pm	Royal British Legion - Games Night	Farmhouse
Fri. 25th	2.30 - 3.30 pm	Toy Library	School
Sat. 26th	7.30 pm	10th Anniversary - Royal British Legion	Farmhouse
Mon. 28th	9.15 - 10.30 am	Yoga	School
Thu. 3rd	8.00 pm	8 O'Clock Club - The Folk Museum	School
Sat. 5th	8.00 - 12.00 pm	Royal British Legion - Dance	School

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